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ATTENTION: **BOX: MISSING PARTS** In re Application of: David SILAGY et al. Group Art Unit 1772 Serial No.: 10/051,291 Examiner: Unassigned Filed: January 22, 2002 For: THERMOFORMING MULTILAYER FILM FOR PROTECTING SUBSTRATES AND **OBJECTS OBTAINED** RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS **Assistant Commissioner for Patents** Washington, D. C. 20231 Sir: In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated February 11, 2002: Attached is a Declaration and Power of Attorney in compliance with 37 CFR § 1.53 along with the late filing surcharge of \$130.00 \boxtimes Applicant(s) include the filing fee of \$740.00. Applicant(s) include the extra claims fee of \$ 306.00 for 17 claims in excess of 冈 20, \$18.00 per additional claim. Applicant(s) include an executed assignment and Recordation Form Cover Sheet \boxtimes with the recordation fee of \$40.00 (Check No. Attached is a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts. \boxtimes Applicant(s) request that the time for taking action in this case be extended pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) for a period of one/two/three/four/five month(s) along with the fee of \$110.00/\$400.00/\$920.00/\$1440.00/\$1960.00. Applicant(s) are entitled to small entity status. Attached is a verified English translation of the language text filed on along with the fee of \$130.00. Applicant(s) provide the title of the invention/inventor(s) name(s) and address(es) on the attached provisional application cover sheet along with the \$50/\$25 surcharge. I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Services as First Class Mail in an envelope

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Date: 4-11-02

	Attached is the Sequence Disclosure as required.
	Attached is the Substitute Specification as required.
	Attached are the substitute drawings as required.
\boxtimes	Attached is the Abstract as required.
	Attached is a certified copy of French Application No. filed on Acknowledgment of receipt of this document is hereby requested.

Attached is a check in the amount of \$1,212.00. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fees under 37 CFR § 1.16 and § 1.17 which may be required to facilitate this filing, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account #13-3402, two copies of this paper are attached for this purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 740 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$306.
 - \$306 for 17 total claims over 20.
- The oath or declaration is missing. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(I) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1176.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

An Abstract not to exceed 150 words in length, commencing on a separate sheet (37 CFR 1.72(b)).

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